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FOR SECRETARY FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SY, PFOR
SUBJECT: TALK WITH KHADDAM: SOUTHERN LEBANON

REF: STATE 290623

1. MET BRIEFLY WITH KHADDAM MORNING NOVEMBER 27 TO CONVEY POINTS REFTEL CONCERNING SARKIS-LANE MEETING.
2. KHADDAM MADE NO SUBSTANTIVE COMMENT. SAID HE WOULD BE AWAY FROM DAMASCUS FOR 48 HOURS, DEPARTING DIRECTLY FROM OUR MEETING FOR TOUR OF GULF. HE APPRECIATE INFORMATION AND SAID IF THERE WAS ANYTHING URGENT IN HIS ABSENCE I SHOULD RELAY IT TO PRESIDENCY VIA HIS OWN PRIVATE SECRETARY.
3. PURPOSE OF HIS GULF VISIT, HE SAID WITH BROAD SMILE, "WAS TOURISM" (COMMENT: READ FUND RAISING).
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